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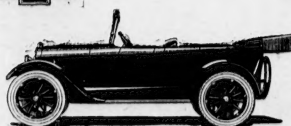
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Estimate 1922 Wheat Crop as Largest In History of West

Winnipeg, Sept. 2.—Exceeding all previous figures forecast by various authoritative bodies this year, the Manitoba Free Press, in the nineteenth annual crop estimate for the three prairie provinces, published this morning, estimates the wheat yield this year at 371,901,000 bushels from a total acreage of 21,417,000 acres.

During the growing period of the crop there have been comparisons made with the famous crop of 1915, the paper says, when the total yield of wheat of the prairie provinces was 260,178,000 bushels from 13,867,715 acres. It is only necessary to compare these figures to realize that while the present crop of wheat is a bumper crop, it is the largest ever produced in the west in point of average of yield, it falls very far below 1915.

Previous estimates made this year have varied from 297,781,000 bushels to 350,000,000, the former being the estimate of the bureau of statistical estimates, based on conditions at the end of July, and the latter the Grain Trade News' estimate. The Canadian Pacific railway estimated this year's western wheat yield at 317,000,000.

This year's Free Press estimate would average 17.31 bushels to the acre, while in the bumper year, 1915, the average was 25.97 bushels.

Asker

The Ravensburg and Vold Bros' threshing outfit are commencing operations about the middle of the week.

A great crowd of cattle were taken out of the district last week—B. Wetmore, C. T. T. and J. T. St. John, being the contributors. M. Jensen, of Ponoka, being the buyer.

Quite a number of relatives and friends called on Mrs. C. Paulsen last Sunday afternoon, the event being her birthday.

The epidemic of summer complaint and sickness is very prevalent among the young children is well as the older ones.

The Ravensburg families and the T. Wetmore and Mrs. M. Wetmore, out and spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. A. W. W. near Mornington.

The duck season opened with September 1, but the birds are few and far between compared to what they used to be in these parts.

Mr. and Mrs. McLaughlin and Mr. Gordon, of Ponoka, spent the week-end the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. Phillips.

Dr. Cook and Dr. Smith from the hospital visited over the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Phillips.

Ruth Kretzing spent the week-end at home, returning to town on Monday evening to resume her studies at the high school.

The Ladies' Aid meets with Mrs. G. Phillips on Monday, Sept. 11.

Last Sunday afternoon the beautiful sunshine and balmy breezes brought thoughts of picnic to a great many. So hurriedly a number, who had no program mapped out for the day, packed their baskets and motored to the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Phillips. There they were heartily received, and spent a lovely afternoon in the garden, admiring the wonderful growth of flowers and vegetables. In the evening a spread was laid on the meadow near the lake's edge where every one enjoyed a hearty lunch. A number enjoyed themselves in the water and in boats until sundown, when they again returned to the grounds and, carefree, where they lingered in the evening twilight admiring the riotous coloring of blossoms. What Mr. and Mrs. Phillips have accomplished with the assistance of their family in a real way in turning a season like this. A trip to their home before the night frosts get their work in will truly show what perseverance can do.

The U.F.A. and U.F.W.A. had a very good meeting with an exceptionally large attendance on Friday evening, Sept. 1.

Stockholm, Sept. 5.—Complete reforms in the recent prohibition plebiscite show that 500,000 to 1 are polled against prohibition and 901,053 in favor of the present. More vote than 90 per cent of the electorate. The question of prohibition in Sweden is now regarded as dead for a general election.

Threshing General In Central Alberta

Practically one hundred per cent of central Alberta's wheat crop is in the stack and threshing has already commenced in many districts, according to last week's reports. In a few isolated districts where the wettest August since 1916 has impeded harvesting operations, binders are still working overtime, but generally speaking the crop has been cut and the frost-buggy avoided.

First threshing returns are encouraging. Threshing has been in progress at Viking for a week where a 40-acre field of rye when yielded 800 bushels. Reports as to the probable yield vary. Yields with estimates 20 to 30 bushels of wheat on breaking and summer fallow, as low as 10 bushels on old land and an average of 15 to 18 bushels. It is probable that this estimate will apply to a great many districts.

Provincial News

Classes in the agricultural schools of the province will open for the 1922-23 term on October 31. The classes will be conducted in a tent at four schools, it is being a Raymond, Claresholm, Oils and Vermilion.

The department of agriculture is now proceeding with the arrangements in connection with the new scheme for the marketing of seed grain announced last week. Prominent seed grain growers have written to the department expressing their approval of the new plan and intimating that they will be ready to patronize it. The clearing plant to be operated by the government will be installed shortly.

The new course of study for the public schools of the province has been approved, and has been distributed by the education department to all schools in the province. In cities where a superintendent is engaged, the course of study has been sent to his office. In all other cases, the books have been sent to the secretary of the school districts. This plan of distribution has been adopted because there is as yet no complete list of teachers in their present locations available to the department. Teachers who have not yet received the course of studies should get into touch with their school boards at once. The new course is authorized for use in all the schools of the province during the present year, and each teacher should secure a copy at once.

Interests in the agricultural possibilities under irrigation has been stimulated during the past week by the announcement that the Canadian and American Irrigation Co. project in west of Medicine Hat, has been able to produce satisfactory results. From a plot of two acres, the company expects this year to have from 160 to 180 bushels of the fruit to ship.

A yield of 42,000 bushels of wheat from 170 acres is expected from the farms of the Oils Farm Co. south of Lethbridge this fall.

The twelve mile extension of the Lacombe and Blundman Valley railway west of Lacombe will be completed in time to handle the crop this fall, it is stated.

Complete figures of the registration at the three normal schools of the province show that over 900 teachers are to be in training at these schools this fall. Approximately 1900 new teachers will be ready for the schools at the end of this year's normal school term.

LABOR PARTY'S WORK PROGRAM

London, Sept. 2.—Criticizing the government unemployment committee's proposals for dealing with the unemployment problem directly by providing relief work and indirectly by promoting trade as totally inadequate, the labor party has put forth a program as follows: First, take steps to check the flow of juveniles into the labor market. Second, legally fix a maximum of a forty-four hour week. Third, review government contracts for the next decade and put production work in hand immediately. Fourth, engage in a five-year program of house building. Fifth, effect railway and waterways repairs that are overdue. Sixth, reorganize land cultivation throughout the country by agricultural committees, and Seventh, increase road making and road repairing.

Turks Wipes Out Three Greek Army Corps

Adana, Asia Minor, Sept. 4.—Three Greek army corps in the Eski-Shir sector of the Greek-Turkish front have been dispersed and almost annihilated by the Turkish Nationalists, according to dispatches received here today from Ankara, the seat of the Komal government.

The Greeks are retreating in disorder and the Turks have advanced in the Ianni sector to within 12 miles of the Brossa, the dispatches said. Two British battleships, the Iron Duke and the King George V. have arrived for the purpose of protecting British interests.

The Turkish advance continues, the entire line of Greeks with drawing without fighting. Towns and villages in the path of the retreat are being burned and thousands of Christian refugees are approaching Smyrna, where the churches and schools are already filled. Many are arriving in a starving condition, the women and children especially showing marked signs of suffering. The continued reverses to the Greek army have caused profound depression among the population. Kutayah, which is next in importance to Eski-Shir and Affin Karabulak, has been completely invested by the fast moving Turkish Nationalists, whose army is in a high state of enthusiasm and jubilation. The fall of Kutayah and even of Brossa is not unexpected.

Constantinople, Sept. 5.—A Turkish cavalry division has met disaster near the Bilejik-Brossa front. Caught between two Greek fronts, it was totally wiped out. The Turks, made careless by their successes, did not reckon with the Greek third army corps, which had retreated unperceived in the direction of Brossa.

The allies appear to be agreed that it is necessary for them to land naval and military forces in Asiatic Turkey for the protection of their nationals and to maintain order.

TYPHOID PREVALENT
Edmonton, Aug. 31.—With the drought of the summer season and recent heavy rains held as the contributing cause, many cases of typhoid fever have been reported to the department of health from various sections of the province, and the minister of municipalities and health, B. G. Reid, has authorized the immediate issuance of a warning notice out preventive measures in the hope of halting the progress of the disease before it reaches the epidemic stage.

Numerous cases of the malady exist in all parts of the province—north, south and west, but centers where a serious condition is reported are those of Field, east of this city; St. Paul de Metis, northeast; Taber, and the central areas in the south. The most serious sections of the north country.

CHURCH NEWS

ST. MARK'S

Sunday, Sept. 10th—Evening service 7:30 p.m. Sunday school at 10 a.m.

UNION CHURCH

Sunday, Sept. 10—11 a.m. "Unpossessed Possessions." Children's topic, "God's Word." Eatable Sunday school at 2:15 p.m., and church service at 3:15 p.m. Evening service at Ponoka, 7:30 p.m. topic, "The Unity of the World." The pastor especially invites the men of the congregation and town to hear this address. Geo. Bowker will sing. There is a welcome for all at the Union church.

BAPTIST

Sunday, Sept. 10—Brooks, Sunday school at 11 a.m., church service at 12. Manitow, church service at 3 p.m. Ponoka, Sunday school at 11 a.m., evening worship at 7:30. Subject, "An Old Fashioned Gospel." Special singing; a trio, "Though Your Sin be as Scarlet." If you like a cheerful, lively, hearty singing, let friends, and a home-like church, you should attend these services. A warm welcome for all.

Church practice on Friday evening at 8. The ladies of the church are arranging a social evening on Tuesday, Sept. 12th. A card program has been arranged. Lunch will be served. Commences at 8 o'clock, assured. Commences at 8 o'clock.

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Local News.

Mr and Mrs A. G. McGilvary were in Edmonton last week.

Mr and Mrs W. H. Mullins were in Edmonton on Saturday.

A. Baumann was a week-end visitor in Calgary.

Mr and Mrs W. Creighton are spending a week in Calgary.

Mrs Miller, of Edmonton, has been visiting with Mrs (Dr.) Graham.

W. J. Lorimer has moved into his new residence in the west end of town.

Richard Elston left on Saturday for Yakima, Wash., where he has been called on account of the serious illness of his father.

The following students attending Hazel Hill school were successful in passing Grade X. Departmental examinations—Lois (nee, Hilde), Reid, Otter, Manning.

The duck shooting season opened on Friday. Quite a number were out from town, but owing to so many of the sloughs and small lakes being dry the sport was only fair.

Threshing operations commenced on the 1st, about the earliest on record. From threshers' reports the yield is light.

J. M. F. Smith, an ex-principal of our school, was in town for a couple of days, renewing old friendships. Mr Smith has been studying in Toronto and in England, and has taken high degrees at the universities. He has taken the principality of Warner public school.

Pupils from outside points are being refused admission to Ponoka school for lack of accommodation. This is much to be regretted, and it looks as if our trustees had a problem on hand. Either secure temporary room, an addition to the present building, or is it a question of a new school at no distant date.

Ponoka had a great musical treat Sunday afternoon, when the Edmonton Salvation Army Band paid us a visit. In addition to the entertainment given in the town hall, the band visited the hospital and played a number of selections on the lawn. Notwithstanding that many people were out of town the entertainment in the hall drew a large crowd, and a return visit by the band will be welcome.

Three local business men were up before Magistrate Turner on Friday, charged with failure to pay their medical health fees, under the Workmen's Compensation Act. They were warned to be more careful in future, and were allowed to go on paying court expenses. This compensation act is about the most considered piece of class legislation ever placed on the statutes, and unless all classes of industry can be brought under its scope, should be wiped off. It is not only aggravating but unjust.

There will be a dance after the show on Thursday, September 14, in the Empress theatre.

The Ladies Aid of the United Church will hold a silver tea at the home of Mrs M. E. Pinner on Friday, Sept. 8, from 2:30 to 5:30 p.m.

Reed—On Thursday, August 31st, to Mr and Mrs R. L. Reed, a daughter.

FOSTER. On Thursday, Aug. 31st, to Mr and Mrs W. J. Scher, a daughter.

The United Church Sunday school picnic was held on the fair grounds Monday afternoon. There was a large attendance, and the children had the usual good time, the sports being keenly contested.

Monday (Labour Day) was quietly observed in town. The principal attraction was the stampede at Red Deer, where many accompanied the ball team. Two games were played, the first between Ponoka and Edville, when the score stood 9 to 5 in our boys' favor. The second game they played was with Red Deer, when the score was 15 to 12 in favour of the home team.

The Santa Cruz News, of August 18 contains the interesting information that Miss Gladys Schutte, of that city, was met by a number of young people, when her engagement to Orville Webster was announced. The report goes on: "The bride to be is a girl of charming personality, of manners, attractive, and an active church worker." "Mr Webster is a young business man of fine qualities, likeable, and interesting. He is a grocer in the city." Orville's Ponoka friends will extend congratulations.

Several new laws have been enacted in the game laws, and which should be taken note of. It will be pleasing to learn that pump guns may be used again this year without restriction. Last year a clause was included in the dominion regulations as applied to Alberta, whereby in order to use pump guns they must be plugged to carry only two cartridges. This raised quite a storm at the last session of the legislature, since the regulation was considered quite unnecessary, and further, it was considered discriminatory against Alberta. The game quarrel has been advised that the objectionable clause has been withdrawn. All sale of fish of game birds or animals are prohibited this year. This includes restaurants where the game has been served in other years, under special license. Carrying loaded firearms in a vehicle of any kind is also prohibited this year as is also shooting from a vehicle. A cartridge in the magazine does not mean that the gun is loaded.

Good meals, clean comfortable rooms, and good service can be had at the Alberta Hotel, under new management. Mr JAS. B. BEATTIE, Prop. E. E. George has been appointed agent in Ponoka for the Maclean Grain Coy. Limited, of Winnipeg. This is an old established firm, and farmers should see Mr. George before disposing of their grain.

Sidewalk Contract Let

The tenders for lumber and laying of sidewalks were opened at Tuesday night's council meeting, and the figures of the several bids were as follows—

G. E. Bowker, \$20.75, 2x6; \$38.50, 1x4. Berdaksaw Sawmill Coy., \$20.75, 2x6; \$38.25, 4x4. D. Bush, \$28.00, 2x6; \$33.50, 4x4.

Dan Bush was awarded the contract. The bids for laying the walks were—R. S. Bunn, \$6.75 per 100 ft. Fred. Pendleton and Joe O'Brien, \$14.00. C. Wick, \$3.74. E. T. Cooper, \$7.75. O'Brien and Pendleton were successful.

Have children the right to enjoy happiness in sweet fellowship with their parents? If so, how are these rights affected by separation and divorce? Ethel Clayton answers both questions in her new Paramount picture, "The Cradle" which will be shown at the Empress on Thursday, Sept. 7.

A dance will be held in Howard Russell's barn on Friday evening, September 5. Red Deer orchestra will be in attendance.

Showing in the Empress theatre on Friday and Saturday, Sept. 3 and 4, "Got Rich Quick Wallingford." The tale of a town with more dollars than sense, and a bright young man who was going for books. Come and see what a thrill to H. H. Wallingford! And what a thrill to him! See a foot of film a rollicking roller coaster! Also, third round of "The Leather Stockings."

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PONOKA, ALBERTA

Germany Relieved Of Making Cash Payments Until End Of The Year

Paris.—The Reparations Commission has relieved Germany of the necessity of making any further cash payments in reparations for the remainder of 1922, but defers its decision on the question of a moratorium until radical reforms in Germany's finances are carried out. These include the balancing of her budget, reduction of Germany's foreign obligations, currency reform and the issue of foreign and internal loans. In rendering its decision, the Reparations Commission "takes into account the fact that the German state has lost its credit and the mark has depreciated continuously."

Announcement of the commission's action was made by Sir John Balfour, after a session lasting an hour and twenty minutes. The decision was immediately communicated to the German delegates and the various Allied representatives by telephone. It is understood that Premier Lloyd George personally approved the settlement. The decision came as a surprise to some circles, where it was expected that M. Dubsio, representing France, would veto against any solution other than one complying with the original demands of M. Poincaré. It is expected the acceptance constitutes a modified form of Belgium's compromise proposal, and Belgium is given the honor of having brought about the last-minute agreement, when a break in the commission seemed inevitable and the members felt that the very existence of the commission was at stake. Premier Poincaré gave his approval on the condition that Germany furnish a gold deposit sufficient to guarantee the deferred payments involved. The threatened breach in Franco-Belgian relations has thus been avoided by the French Premier, who was only prevailed upon to withdraw his objection to the compromise after it became certain that independent action by France would be interpreted by Great Britain as a virtual tearing up of the treaty of Versailles.

THE SITUATION IN THE NEAR EAST SERIOUS MENACE TO WORLD PEACE

London.—The newspapers comment with grave concern on the resumption of fighting in Asia Minor between the Turkish Nationalists and Greeks, and there is a good deal of condemnation of the British Government's Near East policy, which some of the newspapers variously describe as vacillating and evasive. The question of why Premier Lloyd George and the Foreign Office are supporting Greece also is raised. The whole situation in the Near East, which the Daily News says has long been an international scandal, is developing, that newspaper believes, into a serious menace of the peace of the world. Says the News: "Not only is the fate of the Near East, so deeply involved in this writhing struggle, but unless the principal European Powers abandon their mutual jealousies and their mutual distrust which have conspired to perpetuate the present Near Eastern tangle, and discover a common basis of action, the final upheaval and the disastrous upheaval in the Balkans, with consequences impossible to foresee or limit."

Lord Shaw On Immigration

If Canada Gets Average British Settler She Can Make Men of Them

Winnipeg.—A recommendation as to British immigration to Canada should come from Great Britain, neither the best nor the worst, but the average settler, was the point of an address by Lord Shaw, delivered at a luncheon at the Canadian Club.

"The common sense of the matter," said Lord Shaw, "is that if Canada gets an average settler, as Great Britain has, she will make men of them and they will all thrive."

"In my travels through the western part of the American continent, which has impressed me is the great difference between the middle part of the western states and the middle west of Canada. In the United States that district seems to have been given over to the genius of demoralization."

In the middle of Canada," Lord Shaw said, "it seems to have been given over to the genius of thriftfulness."

Wainwright Buffalo for London Zoo

Ottawa.—A pair of buffalo from the great Canadian herd at Wainwright, Alta., will be shipped to England this fall, it is announced by the Dominion Parks Branch, for the purpose of introducing new blood into the Zoological Gardens, London.

Practical Effort Made In Manitoba To Assist The Farmers

Winnipeg.—The appointment of an official, who would act as an advisory referee where farmers who are hard pressed financially want an extension of time, will probably be made as the result of a conference between the Government and business interests in Manitoba. It was learned officially that this is the first practical effort in the Dominion to set up business machinery whereby the rural population can get relief from their creditors.

Warm Turns In Russia

LONDON.—A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Berlin says a report has been received in the German capital that the Odesa Soviet has purged itself of Bolsheviks, proclaimed its independence of Moscow, and called upon all citizens to unite against the Communist usurpers. The report said that the whole of South Russia has joined with Odesa and that the revolution has been attended by bloody encounters.

Over 300 Are Drowned

Great Loss of Life When Vessel Sinks Off Chile Coast

Santiago, Chile.—Only six persons, including two passengers, out of a total of 322 on board the Chilean steamship Italia were saved when the vessel sank off the Chilean coast near Coquimbo.

The steamer sailed from Coquimbo with 250 passengers aboard. Of these 30 were laborers proceeding to Antofagasta. Heavy cross seas damaged the vessel, and the total number of employed persons during the coming winter will not be less than 1,000,000, and plans are being considered for providing relief work and indirectly by promoting trade.

Thy Way They Have In Ireland

Man Charged With Betraying Collins Is Shot By Armed Band

Cork.—Charged with having driven the automobile in which Michael Collins was shot to death, Edward L. O'Brien, was taken from his residence by an armed band and shot. His wounds were not mortal, however, and after being treated for several hours he escaped and made his way to a hospital. Pinned to his breast was a tag inscribed: "Convicted spy, I.R.A., beware."

Polar Flight Abandoned

Amundsen Gives Up Plan to Cross Pole This Year

Norway.—Capt. Roald Amundsen Norwegian explorer, has definitely abandoned for this year his plan for an air plane flight from the North Pole to Spitzbergen or Grant's Land, but plans to hop off next spring. It became known with the arrival here of the coastguard cutter Bear from Point Barrow.

Power From Ocean Waves

White Plains, N.Y.—The Stodder Wave Power Corporation, capitalized at \$250,000, filed a certificate of incorporation here with the county clerk. The company, which will begin business at New Rochelle, sets forth that it is to develop and promote the utilization of the power of the ocean waves as a means of increasing the world's productivity and to construct oil, oil, oil, and other refineries.

Prohibition Debated In Sweden

Stockholm.—A majority of 14,512 against prohibition is shown by the unofficial tabulation of the vote cast at Sunday's referendum throughout Sweden. These figures show: Against, 94,123; for, 89,574.

Cotton Sheds Burns

Winnipeg.—The cotton shed of the Alaska Trading Co. (Rimmon, Ltd.) was gutted by fire Aug. 25, the damage amounting to between \$45,000 and \$50,000. The shed contained twenty carloads of cotton.

Resolutions Aimed At Doukhobors

Norfolk, B.C.—A resolution demanding that the Doukhobors be permitted to obey the laws to register births, and to suffer punishment if appearing in public in the nude, was passed at the closing session of the Kootenay and Boundary Central Women's Institute, representing 19 local institutes.

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WESTERN EDITORS

Out of Work

London.—Heretofore the Government Committee which is dealing with the unemployment problem has only succeeded in laying down broad lines of policy. The official advisors of the Government report slow but steady improvement in trade and express the belief there would be a marked revival of industry this fall.

British Preparing For Unemployment

Industry Reviving But Many Will Be Out of Work

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Canadian Dollar At Par

On Equal Terms With U.S. Money for First Time Since August 15, 1915

New York.—The Canadian dollar is once again at par in the New York money market. "Par" was the quotation announced by local banks for the first time in seven years. August 15, 1915, was the last date on which Canadian dollars were on even terms with those of the United States in this market. During the interval the discount rate soared to as high as 16 1/2 per cent.

Soviet Gives Power To Political Police

Arrests and Exile Without Trial Creates Ring of Terror

Moscow.—The Russian Soviet government of the old Czarist "administrative" police has restored to the political police the power of dealing severely with the Soviet's enemies.

Daring Bank Robbery

Bandits Make Big haul From Union Bank, London

London.—Six masked men, who made a big haul from the Union Bank of London, about 80 miles southeast of London, on the 20th of August, were captured by the London Police.

Sending Cattle To Canada

Stockman Forwarding 67 Head of Pure-Bred Jerseys

London.—The Canadian Pacific railway company has agreed to forward 67 head of pure-bred Jersey cattle, which are being forwarded by the Canadian Pacific railway company, to the Dominion of Wales, who throughout the war maintained a hospital for Canadian soldiers at the Dominion of Wales.

Britain Will Pay Debts

Wants Moral Support of U.S. But Not Financial Help

London.—Prime Minister Lloyd George in conversation with Col. E. M. House, reiterated Great Britain's intention to discharge her present debt to the United States to the last farthing. Col. House told the Associated Press. Col. House said the President begged him to tell them at home that Great Britain was not seeking financial assistance from the United States, but desired very earnestly her continued moral support.

Coal Reported In Port Arthur District

Mining Engineer Says Locality Is Undermined With Anthracite

Port Arthur, Ont.—John Cross, reputed one of the best known and most experienced miners in the district, stated that he is sure that this locality is undermined with coal.

Policeman Killed With Prisoner

Montreal—A scandal of everything except the fight between them, Michael Burke, a special policeman for the New York Central Railroad, and James Wallace, a negro, whom Burke arrested for trespassing, were struck and killed by the Westerner, Car Engineer, as they fought on the tracks here.

Trade Agreement With Belgium

Brussels.—Negotiations for an economic agreement between Belgium and Canada are expected to open in the near future. Hon. W. R. Fielding will conduct the negotiations with the Belgian and Foreign Minister, Mr. Taspas.

Britain Has Ordered Air Troop Transport

Will Accommodate Twenty-Five Soldiers and Their Equipment

London.—An improved aerial troop transport, with a hull of tubular steel, large enough to accommodate 25 soldiers and their equipment, has been ordered by the air ministry, under the recently announced £2,000,000 expansion scheme to provide 50 machines for home defence.

May Scrap Old Workshops

London.—The Times understands that arrangements have been made for the removal of a number of old workshops to Germany to be broken up. As the Admiralty's policy of late has been to reduce Germany's war effort, it is assumed there is to be sent an amount of scrap metal several months ago.

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